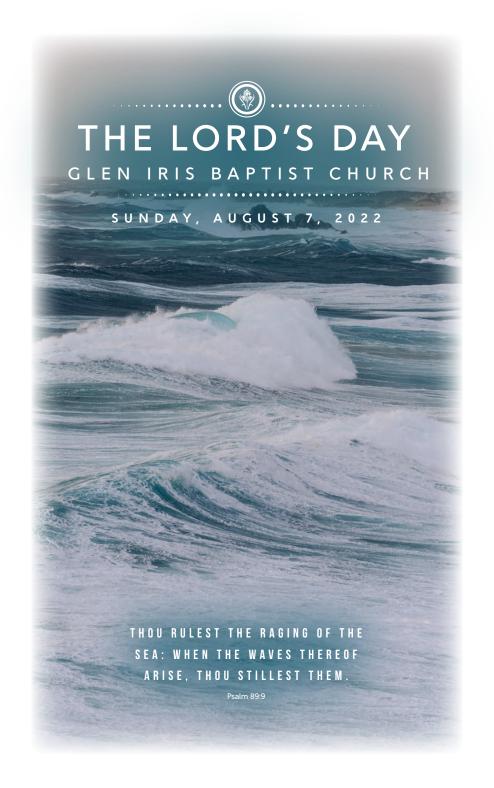


"We shall never see much change for the better in our churches in general till the prayer meeting occupies a higher place in the esteem of Christians."

—C. H. Spurgeon



WELCOME TO GLEN IRIS BAPTIST CHURCH

We want you to know that we have prayed for you and that we have asked the Lord to bring to our fellowship those to whom we can minister. We trust that you will feel welcomed, that you will be encouraged by worshiping with us, and that you will be a guest of ours again soon. If we can be of assistance to you, we would count it an honor. We desire to minister to you in any way possible. If any of us can be of help to you, please call the church office at 323-1516. Thank you for coming!

OUR PURPOSE

At Glen Iris, we desire to honor and glorify the Lord Jesus Christ in all that we do. We endeavor to accomplish this by obeying His Word in the following areas: offering the sacrifice of praise, giving thanks to His name continually with the fruit of our lips, doing good and sharing our gifts and abilities, assembling together regularly for worship and instruction in righteousness, and encouraging one another unto love and good works. Our burden is to take the gospel to every creature, in the various ways made available to us. This, we believe, is accomplished by holding fast the faithful Word in teaching sound doctrine (Hebrews 13:15-17; Mark 16:15; Titus 1:9).

OUR CHURCH MINISTRIES

Missionaries Worldwide
Glen Iris Baptist School
WGIB Radio (91.9 FM)
WQEM Radio (101.5 FM)
WAY Television (Channel 16)
Website (www.gleniris.net)
Gospel Outreach and Visitation

Music Ministry
Bus Ministry
Youth Ministry
Special Needs Ministry
Benevolence Ministry
AWANA Youth Program
Young Adults Ministry

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WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

Prayer Meeting - 9:30 A.M. Sunday School - 10:00 A.M. Adult Choir Practice - 10:45 A.M. Worship Service - 11:00 A.M. Sweet Singers Practice – 5:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting – 5:00 P.M.
Adult Choir Practice – 5:00 P.M.
Evening Service – 6:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

AWANA Youth Bible Program - 6:45 P.M. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study - 7:00 P.M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday school is an important time, dedicated to delving into the Word of God to find all the treasures God has for us there. Our Sunday school teachers systematically teach through the Scriptures each week, line upon line, precept upon precept. There is a Bible class for each age group, and a list of all classes and their locations can be found in the church vestibule.

SUNDAY MORNING & EVENING SERVICES

God has mandated the preaching of the gospel (Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15; Luke 24:47; John 20:21). Because we believe that a service should be designated for this purpose, we usually set aside Sunday morning for this important ministry. The teaching ministry of the shepherd is equally important for the equipping of the saints for the work of the ministry. Establishing believers in sound doctrine is best achieved by an expository teaching ministry. Sunday evening is devoted to this purpose.

MIDWEEK SERVICE

The midweek service is always a refreshing time of Bible study and prayer. On Wednesday evenings at 7:00, line upon line our pastor teaches the truths found in God's Word. Please do not miss what the Lord has for you at this important weekly meeting of our church.

SERMON NOTES

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COME BEFORE HIS PRESENCE WITH SINGING

РSALM 100:2



MORNING

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing	11
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise	33
Hallelujah! Praise the Lamb	110

EVENING

My Hope Is in the Lord	540
I'd Rather Have Jesus	506
Therefore the Redeemed of the Lord	761

We earnestly ask that every sincere worshiper will enter the auditorium in an attitude of reverence, silencing electronic devices, and as the prelude music begins, to prayerfully seek the Lord's face and blessing.

Please join in the congregational singing, carefully considering what is being taught in the song and, above all, being concerned to worship the Lord in spirit and in truth.



"LET EVERYTHING THAT HATH BREATH PRAISE
THE LORD. PRAISE YE THE LORD."

PSALM 150:6

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

The Hinson Family

Missioinaries to Tbilisi, Georgia

- Please pray the Lord would open the hearts of those to whom we are ministering.
- Pray for God's continued blessing and favor.

WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETING

Each Wednesday evening we gather at 7:00 for a precious time of corporate prayer. After Bible study, we pray over our missionaries, students, ministries, requests sent to us, and most importantly, for God to work in our midst. We are seeing glorious answers to our prayers. One of the marks of a true New Testament church is to continue "steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers." May the Lord continue to bless the most important time of our week.

AUDITORIUM WINDOWS

After 73 years and some refurbishing along the way, the stained-glass windows in the auditorium are in dire need of complete restoration soon. The exterior shows much rot and decay, leaving the windows in a very fragile state. We have received several estimates, all of which are very costly. Please consider giving towards this much-needed project.

EMAIL MAILING LIST

If you would like to receive periodic updates and reminders of upcoming events, please send an email to info@gleniris.net, and request to be placed on the email mailing list.



"The world asks, 'What does a man own?' Christ asks, 'How does he use it?' " -Andrew Murray

"Pride is antithetical to the Christian life—it takes glory that belongs to God." -Randy Stinson

"Real spiritual growth is always growth downward, so to speak, into more profound humility." -J. I. Packer

"Never do the flowers of grace grow more than after a shower of repentant tears." -Thomas Watson

"God examines with trials, the devil examines with temptations, and the world examines with persecutions." -Henry Smith

"Grumbling is a most serious sin, a capitol crime, a primal offense against the God whose universe this is." -David Powlison

"God is more willing to save sinners than sinners are to be saved." -J. C. Ryle

"As the wicked are hurt by the best things, so the godly are bettered by the worst." -William Jenkyn

"Happy is the man who is happy in his wife." -Charles Spurgeon

"This is God's universe and God does things His way. You may have a 'better way,' but you don't have a universe." -J. Vernon McGee

"No one ever said at the end of his course that he had been too holy and lived too near to God." -J. C. Ryle



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